

race was on for progress, Myton was left at the starting gate. The reason for this was lack of a State approved water system. When people were begging for reasonable real estate to build a home or business on or even a place to set up a trailer, Myton City was forbid to allow any new hook-ups until the water system was approved by the State Board of Health.

The City began frantically to try to up date and improve the situation to allow growth. The only satisfactory solution, as far as the State Board of Health was concerned, was a quite sophisticated Water Purification Plant. So, based upon the projected growth statistics provided by the State, Myton City went heavily into debt to build the state required system.

Coming on the heels of this debt, Myton City was then told that we would still be "unapproved" unless we put in a sewer system. So, looking again at the State growth projections, Myton City plunged even deeper in debt, to stay alive.

When the smoke cleared away and we were at last allowed to permit new hook ups, we discovered that the "boom" had bust and instead of gaining new hook ups we did, in fact, lose some families as the oil related business' moved on.

Myton City was forced to raise their water and sewer bills and raise them again, to attempt to meet our bond payments. It has been an extreme hardship on the families that populate Myton City especially since a large percentage of our people fall in the low income bracket. This brief look into the financial condition of our town is necessary as we attempt to assess our Needs. Our mil levy is 26.59, which is probably the highest in the County. It is unthinkable to burden our citizens further by raising the mil levy for desperately needed improvements. You could stand in any spot in Myton and turn in a complete circle and your eye would never be free from the sight of something that needed improvement. ~~The reason for this is that we must put every available~~